

Office of Public Instruction  
Montana School Emergency Management Planning Grant  
School Emergency Operations Plan Trainings

**SENATE EDUCATION**

**General Information:**

- 10 trainings scheduled:

Exhibit No. 1  
Date 2/6/15  
Bill No. SB 213

List of Trainings: Dates, Locations, and Venues		
Training Date	Training Location	Venue
Tuesday, January 13, 2015	Glasgow	Cottonwood Inn-45 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave NE
Wednesday January 14, 2015	Glendive	Dawson County Courthouse-207 W Bell
Thursday, January 15, 2015	Billings	Billings Hotel and Convention Center-1223
Tuesday, January 27, 2015	Kalispell	Hampton Inn-1140 Hwy 2 W
Wednesday, January 28, 2015	Havre	The Duck Inn-1300 1 <sup>st</sup> Street
Thursday, January 29, 2015	Great Falls	Holiday Inn Great Falls- 1100 5 <sup>th</sup> St S
Tuesday, February 10, 2015	Missoula	Best Western Plus Grant Creek Inn-5280 Grant
Wednesday, February 11, 2015	Fairmont	Fairmont Hot Springs-1500 Fairmont Rd
Thursday February 12, 2015	Bozeman	Best Western Plus GranTree Inn-1325 N 7 <sup>th</sup> Ave
Tuesday, February 24, 2015	Helena	Red Lion Colonial-2301 Colonial Drive

- **Have Conducted 6 trainings:**
  - **Glasgow, Glendive, Billings, Kalispell, Havre, Great Falls**
  - **2 more sets of training left (4 trainings):**
    - Missoula, Butte, Bozeman
    - Helena
  - **# of Participants Attending:**
    - Total for first 6 trainings: 137 participants
    - Venue breakdown:
      - Glasgow: 18 participants
      - Glendive: 17 participants
      - Billings: 21 participants
      - Kalispell: 18 participants
      - Havre: 29 participants
      - Great Falls: 34 participants
    - Public Schools Represented: (43 Schools/Districts)
      - Malta Schools
      - Medicine Lake
      - Nashua Schools
      - Wolf Point
      - Fairview
      - Glendive
      - Miles City
      - Plevna
      - Terry
      - Ashland
      - Elder Grove
      - Independent
      - Laurel
      - Nye
      - Park City
      - Red Lodge
      - Roundup
      - Charlo
      - East Glacier
      - Evergreen

- Libby
- Troy
- Yaak
- Rocky Boy
- Hays/Lodge Pole
- Chinook
- Harlem
- Box Elder
- Chester, Joplin, Inverness
- Cut Bank
- Hill Co. Schools
- Heart Butte
- Moore
- Highwood
- Stanford
- Browning
- Conrad
- Great Falls
- Fairfield
- Cascade
- Saco Schools
- Scobey Schools
- Westby Schools

- Private Schools/Colleges Represented: ( 7 Private Schools/colleges)
  - Holy Spirit Catholic School (Great Falls)
  - MT School For the Deaf and the Blind (Great Falls)
  - Treasure State Academy (Great Falls)
  - Stone Child College (Box Elder)
  - Dawson County College
  - MSU(Bozeman)
  - UofM (Missoula)
- Community/Private Organizations Represented: (17 organizations)
  - Glasgow Emergency Management Services
  - Fort Peck Tribes Health Promotion/Disease Prevention Wellness Program (HPDP)
  - Dawson County Disaster and Emergency Services (DES)
  - Wibaux County DES
  - Billings Clinic
  - Roundup DES
  - Billings DES
  - Allen Bone-Consultant
  - Flathead Office of Emergency Services-Emergency Management Planner
  - Blaine County Undersheriff
  - N Montana Child Development Center
  - Hill County DES
  - Boys & Girls Club of the Hi-Line (Havre)
  - Chinook Fire Department
  - Highwood Fire Department
  - Teton County DES
  - Cascade County DES

○ **Organization Types/Personnel Attending:**

- **School Districts-** Teachers, Principals, Superintendents, Safety Coordinators, Maintenance, Counselors, School Psychologists, School Nurses, School Wellness Director, Trustees, Dean of Students, District Clerks, IT Directors
- **Private Schools:** Dean of Students, Principals,
- **Colleges:** Security, Director of Student Learning



- **County Disaster and Emergency Services** Coordinators
- **Local Emergency Management Services-** EMTs, Program Directors, Emergency Management Planners, Fire Chiefs, Hospitals (Billings Clinic)
- **Tribal HPDP-Nurses**
- **County Sheriff's Office:** Sheriffs, Undersheriff, Deputies
- **Other:** Emergency Management Consultant, Northern Montana Child Development Center staff
- **Upcoming Trainings (4):**
  - **Registration Numbers**
    - Total: 130 participants registered
    - Registration Breakdown:
      - Missoula: 50 registered
      - Butte: 34 registered
      - Bozeman: 31 registered
      - Helena: ~20 registered
- **Trainings' IMPACT:**
  - Understanding of needed components within a high-quality School Emergency Operations Plan (EOP)
  - Understanding of common language used in plans to facilitate better communication with community partners
  - Better understanding of community partners available for assistance to schools, and availability of local and national resources
  - Providing opportunity for school/community partner introductions and collaboration
  - Understanding of importance of vigilant attention to plan, trainings, and exercises
  - Understanding of how to identify potential safety threats and hazards for schools and how to implement them in to an EOP.
  - Providing resources to identify potential future training opportunities.
  - Continued support on plan development from Brett Lloyd, trainer, through March 2016.
- **Future Options for Project:**
  - Invite the USDOE Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools (REMS) Center staff to conduct a "Train-the-Trainer" session for educating local schools to provide EOP training in their own school/regions.
  - Continued working relationship with Grant's Advisory Committee: MT DES, Homeland Security, Governor's Office of Community Service, MT SBA, Safe School Centers of Montana, OPI, and Brett Lloyd-Spartan Consulting.